"We'll git bull weather yit," he mid When March was warm and pleasant. "Don't ye go on an' be misled By these nice days at present."
And as the days kept fate and nice
And winter grew more distant
He kept predicting snow and ice
For he is quite consistent.

When April days came laughing in He said: "I'll bet my gizzard this month will bring, as sure as sin, A record-breakin" bitzzard." When the last fleck of lee had gone Along the river channels He said: "You'd better keep 'em on"-Referring thus to flannels.

And now when breaths of rare perfume And now when breaths of rare perfu-Come drifting on the breezes.

He wears a hock of settled gloom And not a prospect pleases.

He says this weather 'a a deceit, The weather man a Hero Who'll suddenly turn on the sleet And force things down to zero.

The falling snow will deeply drift The falling show will doeply drift Along about December and then his eyebrows he will lift And chortle: "You remember! I've been a-tellin' you 'twould be Jest like it is at present. Te can't put too much faith, ye see In weather that is pleasant."

Simple Parlor Games.

A jolly game for a mixed gathering s called bridge. It is played with ordinary playing cards, dealt as for Four people play at a table, arhitet. the couples being partners. Each perion wears a little plain card which is to be punched to show the games won. The person having the most-punched pards wins the prize. The interest in the game grows when you are able to censure your partner for leading he wrong card. The real joy, however, is after the hand has been played, when you spread out the cards and hold a post mortem, showing the a grievous mistake each time he or e trumped or followed suit

A very popular parlor game is called Courtable. Two people only play the be taken to induce annual crops, but game. The hands are not played; they are held-sometimes for a whole evening. The gentleman leads with babit of fruiting in alternate years is a box of candy and a bunch of flowers, following with theater tickets, He | this way. does not know whether he wins or toses until after marriage.

"Afternoon Call" is a delightful parlor game. It may be played by from two to four people. One of them is the hostess, the others are callers. The game requires no special apparatus. It consists in recalling as much gossip as possible about acquaintances, also clinical data regarding operations, and excruciating details of painful symptoms and protracted Illnesses. After these topics have been exhausted the players take up dresses, bonnets and servants. The game is finished when the last one leaves. The one staying longest has the right to say things about the others.

A Reason for Traveling.

"You come to Europe regularly, do you not?" asked the first American of his fellow countryman whom he met in the streets of Munich.

Yans, O, yans," languidly answered the second American, My wife keeps me on the move all the time. She stays in America just long enough to talk about what a nice time she is going to have on this side, and when she gets here she only stays long enough to talk about what a good time she will have when she goes

Old Story Here.

The news about the robes they'll wear at George's coronation Together with the pictures that the pa-pers sprend before us

Fall to arouse in us a great degree of animation—

We're used to comic opera and guily girded chorus.

What She Wanted.

"And I suppose you will want it to be a course dinner?" asks the caterer of Mrs. Justgottit, who is planning to en-

tertain a company of friends. "Coarse dinner?" she cries, mistaking her lorgnette for her scent bottle. 'Coarse dinner? No. sir. I want a fine dinner. I've got the money to pay for the finest dinner you can fix up. Conrae, indeed!"

Humbled, the caterer promises to

respect her wishes. Thebur Dresbit NHITE MARKINGS OF HORSES

Most Common Among Chestnuts and More Commonly Seen on Hind Legs-Baye Next in Bank.

Among horses, irrespective of the mestion of bread, white is much more commonly seen on the hind legs, or on me of them, than on the forelegs. And when the latter are white it is pracically always true that you will find white on the hind legs, too, When narkings are present both behind and in front those on the hind limbs are usually the more extensive.

It is also found that there is a very tennite connection between the cont color of horses and the frequency with which white markings occur, says the Horse World. Thus the latter are by far the most commonly associated with the chestnut color. And not only are they the most prevalent in chestout horses, but it is also, of course, a well-known fact that the markings are apt to be more extended in nature in the case of this color than in that of any other.

Chestnut, therefore, apparently possesses, so to speak, a special affinity for these markings. Bay ranks next as regards the degree of frequency with which white markings appear in torses of this color, although it comes t good way behind chestnut in this respect. Then follows brown, while they are met with less frequently among black and roan colored horses.

The theory is sometimes put forward that in mating sire and dam thich both have conspicuous white markings on their legs the tendency 's for these to assume a more extentive character in the progeny than is he case in either of the parents. This theory cannot, however, be substantiated.

These markings are of a highly hereditary nature, and must prove to be transmitted to the offspring; probably even more so in the case of the sire than in that of the dam. Conclusive scientific support of this latter theory is not available, but it is a commonly observed phenomenon. On he other hand, there are some cases in which stallions with white markings habitually sire whole colored

### THINNING TO COLOR APPLES

Necessity of Producing Better Grade of Fruit Than Formerly Makes This Essential.

(By W. J. GREEN, Ohio.) The coloring of apples is influenced greatly by thinning. It is well known that when two pickings are made that half colored fruits left at the first picking will, within two or three weeks, increase in size and put on more color, rivaling the specimens first removed. Earlier thinning accomplishes this result in a still more marked manner.

There is also a greater number of windfalls from unthinned than from a thinned tree, partly due to decrease of defective fruits by thinning, also to lessened drain upon the vitality of the tree.

Owing to the necessity of producpartner exactly how he or she made | ing a better grade of fruit than formerly, and of more careful packing,

Thinning is one of the measures to a.one it cannot produce the desired result, nor can varieties in which the strongly fixed be much changed in

Building Good Roosts.

For roosts use any length desired-7 or 8 feet is about right. Take 1x2irch pieces 14 inches long and round corners on one end and bore %-inch hole one inch from the end and fasten studding with a large spike about 13 inches from dropping board.

These act as hinges, allowing roosts to be raised out of the way when cleaning dropping boards. Fasten roost to these two inches from the end and nail cleat on studding so as to hold roost level when down.

Cultivating the Corn Crop.

The essential thing in corn cultivation is to keep the ground free from weeds and covered with a soil mulch, The result of fifty-six different tests at seventeen different agricultural experiment stations show an average increase of 43 per cent, resulting from shallow cultivation as compared with deep cultivation. In moist years cultivation is of less importance than in dry years.

Sweet Potato Plants.

Sweet potato plants require a great deal of beat and sunshine and care should be taken in planting them to look after this. The sweet potate vine should be planted in rows from three and a half to four feet apart, and the plants should be set from two to two and a half feet apart. The soil should be hoed to the plants in the early stages of cultivation, and this should be done regularly. If crowded the plants will not tuber well.

Cutting Weeds.

It is the practice of the best gardeners to shorten the tops of plants when they are setting them out. To prepare a weed in the same way is to make it almost certain to grow vigrously. When cutting weeds, especially after a wet time, cut close to the ground.

Cauliflower and Cabbage. Cauliflower and cabbage are rank

feeders, and need an extra amount of horing. The more you hee the better they grow.



HIS VIEW OF IT.



Smart-Do you think the colleges turn out the best men? Wise-Sure. I was turned out in my sophomore year.

#### DOCTOR PRESCRIBES CUTICURA REMEDIES

"I wish to let you know of a couple of recent cures which I have made by the use of the Cuticura Remedies, Last August, Mr. - of this city came to my office, troubled with a severe skin eruption. It was dermatitis in its worst form. It started with a slight eruption and would affect most parts of his body, thighs, elbows, chest, back and sbdomen-and would terminate in little pustules. The itching and burning was dreadful and he would almost tear his skin apart, trying to get relief. I recommended all the various treatments I could think of and he spent about fifteen dollars on prescriptions, but nothing seemed to help him.

"In the meantime my wife, who was continually suffering with a slight skin trouble and who had been trying different prescriptions and methods with my assistance, told me she was going to get some of the Cuticura thinning the fruit cannot be neglect. Remedies and give them a fair trial. But as I did not know much about Cuticura at that time I was doubtful whether it would help her. Her skin would thicken, break and bleed, especially on the fingers, wrists and arms. I could do nothing to relieve her permanently. When she first applied the warm baths of Cuticura Soap and applications of Cuticura Ointment she saw a decided improvement and in a few days she was completely cured.

"I lost no time in recommending the Cuticura Remedies to Mr. -and this was two months ago. I told him to wash with warm baths of the Cuticura Scap and to apply the Cuticura Ointment generously. Believe me, from the very first day's use of the Cuticura Remedies he was greatly relieved and today he is completely cured through their use. I have great faith in the Cuticura Remedies and shall always have a good word for them now that I am convinced of their wonderful merits." (Signed) B. L. Whitehead, M. D., 168 Dartmouth St., Boston, Mass., July 22, 1910.

Klasing Breach of Peace. The better half of a respected citizen of New Jersey recently had the temerity to hale her lord and master before the court on a charge of having kissed her against her will. For this heinous offense this shameless Jersey benedict was bonded over in \$100 bail to keep the peace, and, moreover, was warned by the judge never again to kiss his wife without first obtaining her consent in due form. If he is any kind of a man, probably he will never want to kiss her again.-Washington

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BUNCHING HIS HARD LUCK

Sufferer From Toothache Summoned Philosophy to His Aid During Period of Trouble.

"Philosophers are not all dead yet," said the dentist. "I met one this morning who knocked me out of two hours' work on a day when I have nothing to do anyhow, and will make me work overtime tomorrow, when I shall be crowded with engagements. He was howling with a toothache. "Better come around and have it at-

tended to," I said. "Can't do it today," he said, "I'm too busy.

"But you can't work when you are crasy with the toothache?" I argued. "Oh, yes I can," said he. "There

are half a dozen other things I want done to me that hurt pretty bad, and if I have them done when my tooth is on the rampage they won't seem so bad, because one hurt will neutralize the other. I always take advantage of a toothache to dispatch those disagreeable jobs."

"Maybe not many people could stand that kind of philosophy, but apparently that man is going to get away with ft."

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An Unlaureled Hero.

Here is a niche in the Hall of Fame for Seth A. Eaton, a rural mail carrier from the Middleboro postoffice, who, surrounded by woodland fire, his horse lying on the ground stifled with smoke, his own hair singed, his hat burned and one side of his face and hands blistered, was still mindful of duty and saved the mail he was carrying by burying it in the sand, before he fought through the line of fire to safety. Not all the heroes trend the battlefields.-Fall River Herald.

What Was She Wearing? The new fireman was telling his wife about the fire.

"It broke out at midnight in the Von Biffers' house on the avenue," he said, "and just as we got there Miss Von Biffer came stumbling out of the fiames and smoke carrying her little niece all wrapped up in her arms. It was the bravest act I ever saw."

"What was she wearing?" inquired the fireman's wife.

Some Contrast.

"Mornin', Sis Judy," called a neighbor's cook to our good old mammy. I heah dat Skeeter Jim is dun got him a new wife. I hope she leetl fatter'n dat spindlin', no 'count streak-o'-

"Fatter 'n him?" Mammy replied, rolling her eyes and clasping her own fat hands. "Lawsy, chile, day jus lak a needle an' a haystack!"

Some girls are afraid to go downtown by themselves for fear a man may not try to fiirt with tham,



His Disqualification. When we saw her she stopped panting by the road to rest. It was the shell road in Bay St. Louis, and she was black. Beside her was a heavy market basket filled to overflowing. We smiled at her with sympathetic friendliness and she responded with full and free confidence.

"Yassam. I is some tlabed. An' lame. All painful wid miseries. Yassm. I coulds done sen some one else to mahket fo' me. Mah grantison he coulds done gone. But I dash's trus' him. He spends mah money too briefly."-Housekeeper.

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